

Mental Health and Disability Services Redesign

*Revised Judicial-DHS Workgroup Agenda

Meeting #3
October 11, 2012
10:00 am – 3:00 pm
State Capitol Room 103
Des Moines, Iowa

AGENDA

10:00 am to 10:10 am Introduction Recap of Meeting 2 and Review of Minutes

10:10 am – 10:20 am Discussion of 2012 Charge – Donna Richard-Langer

Per SF2312:

The workgroup shall also study and make recommendations concerning the feasibility of establishing an independent statewide patient advocate program for qualified persons representing the interests of patients suffering from mental illness, intellectual disability, or a substance-related disorder and involuntary committed by the court, in any matter relating to the patients' hospitalization or treatment under chapters 125, 122, and 229, and shall also include recommendations for a patient advocate representing interests of patients found not guilty of a crime by reason of insanity. The workgroup shall also consider the implementation of consistent reimbursement standards for patient advocates supported by a state-funded system and shall also consider the role of the advocate for a person who has been diagnosed with a co-occurring mental illness and substance-related disorder. The workgroup shall solicit input from current mental health advocates and mental health and substance-related disorder care providers and individuals receiving services whose interests would be represented by an independent statewide advocate program..."

10:20 am – 10:40 am Review of Advocate Information from 2011 Workgroup Beth

Baldwin

10:40 am – 11:00 am Rose McVay, Court Mental Health Advocate, 7th District and Mary

Swartz, Advocate for Franklin and Hardin Counties

11:00 am – 11:20 am	Presentation from John Bigelow, Jr. Southwest Iowa Mental Health Center & Joseph Cowley, Center for Alcohol & Drug Services
11:20 am – 11:35 am	Rick Bly, consumer from Iowa City, Iowa
11:35 am – 11:45 am	Discussion
11:45 am – noon	Public Comment
Noon – 12:50 pm	Lunch on your own
12:50 pm – 1:10 pm	Tom Eachus, Community Mental Health Center, Waterloo & Patrick Schmitz, Plains Area Mental Health Center, LeMars
1:10 pm – 1:25 pm	Jackie Diekman, Consumer
1:25 pm – 1:45 pm	Debra Ann Brodersen, RN MSN/MHA, Spencer Hospital and Mary O'Donnel from Mercy Clinton
1:45 pm 2: 45 pm	Discussion & Initial Recommendations
2:45 pm – 3:00 pm	Public Comment

^{**}Next meeting is Thursday, November 8, 2012.